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DEPT PASS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (CCC)

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAID, NI

SUBJ: DELAY IN OFFLOADING USAID-SPONSORED GRAIN

SORGHUM FOR SAHEL

REF: LAGOS 3060

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED LETTER FROM HORST MUELLER ON BEHALF OF TRANSPORT MARITIME YOUVILLE, LTEE (NOTE CORRECTION OF REFTEL ERROR) CONCERNING PROBLEM REPORTED REFTEL. LETTER INFORMS EMBASSY THAT IN EVENT "DENEbola" DOES NOT RECEIVE PRIORITY BERTHING IN ACCORDANCE WITH DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE CONTRACT, SHIPPING COMPANY WOULD CONSIDER USG IN BREACH OF CHARTER PARTY AND WOULD HOLD USG FULLY RESPONSIBLE FOR "ANY AND ALL LOSSES AND/OR DAMAGES AND/OR DELAYS AND/OR ANY OTHER EXPENSES INCURRED BY OWNERS" RESULTING FROM USG NON-COMPLIANCE WITH CHARTER PARTY.

2. LETTER INCLUDES COPY OF CHARTER PARTY, ALONG WITH ADDENDUM NO. 1, DATED MARCH 20, 1974. PARAGRAPH 7 OF ADDENDUM READS: "PREFERENTIAL BERTHING FOR DENEbola: ON BASIS ANY OTHER VESSEL ALREADY ON BERTH AT TIME OF DENEbola ARRIVAL WILL BE ALLOWED TO COMPLETE."

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IN CASE REPORTED REFTEL, NIGERIAN FLOUR MILLS VESSEL

"ALTMARK", WHICH WAS GIVEN PRIORITY OVER "DENEbola",
WAS IN HARBOR BUT NOT ON BERTH AT TIME OF "DENEbola'S"
ARRIVAL. CHARTER PARTY (USDA CONTRACT NO. 12-29-003-569)
AND ADDENDUM SIGNED BY PRESIDENT OF TRANSPORT MARITIME
YOUVILLE AND DIRECTOR, OCEAN TRANSPORT DIVISION, FOREIGN
AGRICULTURAL SERVICES, U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.

3. NIGERIAN FLOUR MILLS G. ADVISED EMBASSY THIS MORNING
(APR.16) THAT "DENEbola" BERTHED IMMEDIATELY AFTER "ALTMARK"
AT 1645 HRS APR. 13 AND IS EPXECTED COMPLETE OFFLOADING BY
THIS AFTERNOON (APR. 16) AT LATES.

4. COPY OF MUELLER'S LETTER BEING POUCHED TO MCKEE
(STATE/AF/NI).
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